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[XX] 14 sheets of specification, 5 sheets of claims, 1 sheet of Abstract.
[XX] 12 sheets of INFORMAL drawings, Figures 1-15.
[XX] an assignment of an invention to Royal Appliance Mfg. Co. (and transmittal therefor).
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